## SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. There is one (1) question on this ballot.
- 2. Make your selection BEFORE pushing the green VOTE button located below the lower right corner of the ballot.
- 3. Press the "X" to the right of your choice to select it. Once you press the "X", you will see a red light at the upper left corner of that "X". This indicates your choice.
- 4. If you want to change your choice, press the "X" again and the light will go out. Then, press the "X" to the right of your choice to make a new selection
- 5. Make sure that a red light is lit at the upper left corner of the "X" for your choice BEFORE pushing the green VOTE button to cast your ballot.

## SPECIAL ELECTION FOR THE LEVY OF ADDITIONAL TAXES FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES

The Board of Education of the Red Clay Consolidated School District proposes an operating tax increase of \$0.20 per \$100 of assessed value of all taxable real estate (approximately \$10.4 million) in the 2015-2016 school year, an additional \$0.10 per \$100 of assessed value (approximately \$5.2 million) in the 2016-2017 school year and an additional \$0.05 per \$100 of assessed value (approximately \$2.6 million) in the 2017-2018 school year for a net total increase of \$0.35 per \$100 of assessed value (approximately \$18.2 million). The estimated increase for an average assessed home in Red Clay is \$280 after three years.

This funding will be used for:

- operating expenses (salaries and benefits, energy costs, materials)
- new textbooks and classroom supplies and curriculum initiatives including talented and gifted, STEM and International Baccalaureate
- targeted reading assistance for struggling readers
- significant technology upgrades and modernization
- continuation of athletics and extra-curricular programs
- safety and security efforts for schools and buses including school interventionists

VOTE FOR ONE (1)

A. FOR ADDITIONAL TAX

B. AGAINST ADDITIONAL TAX

